



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 886

January Session, 2003

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE PREVENTION COUNCIL AND
INVESTMENT PRIORITIES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 4-67u of the general statutes is amended by
2 adding subsection (c) as follows (*Effective from passage*):

3 (NEW) (c) The State Prevention Council shall determine long-term
4 goals, strategies and outcome measures to promote the health and well
5 being of children and families. Such goals include, but are not limited
6 to: Cost-effective, research-based, early intervention strategies; an
7 increase in pregnant women and newborns who are healthy; a
8 decrease in the rate of child neglect and abuse; an increase in children
9 who are ready for school; an increase in children who succeed in
10 school; a decrease in children who are unsupervised after school; an
11 increase in youth who choose healthy behaviors and become
12 successful working adults; a decrease in juvenile suicide; a decrease in
13 juvenile crime; and an increase in access to health care and stable
14 housing. The council shall design a plan for inter-agency and intra-
15 agency implementation of such goals and strategies and shall submit
16 such plan, in accordance with section 11-4a, to the Secretary of the
17 Office of Policy and Management and the joint standing committee of
18 the General Assembly, having cognizance of matters relating to
19 appropriations not later than January 1, 2004.

This act shall take effect as follows:
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Section 1	<i>from passage</i>
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